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SUBJECT 19THE GENERAL CONFERENCE: FURTHER ACTION ON PHYSICAL
EDUCATION AND SPORT

1. FOLLOWING REFTEL (A)#NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE NARROWED
NOMINEES FOR INTERIM INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE IN THE
FIELD OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORT TO 30 WITH
FOLLOWING GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION ACCEPTED BY
"GENTLEMEN'S AGREEMENT":

WESTERN EUROPE	7
EASTER EUROPE	3
LATIN AMERICAN	5
ASIA	5
AFRICA	7
ARAB	3

2. NOMINATIONS COMMITTE THEN DECIDED BY ACCLAMATION
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TO RECOMMEND FOR ELCTION TO THE GENERAL CONFERENCE

THE FOLLOWING COMPOSITION OF THE ABOVE COMMITTEE:

ALGERIA
ARGENTINA
BENIN
COLOMBIA
CONGO
CUBA
FINLAND
FRANCE
GABON
GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
GHANA
GUATEMALA
INDIA
JAPAN
MOROCCO
NEPAL
NETHERLANDS
NIGERIA
PAKISTAN
SENEGAL
SWITZERLAND
THAILAND
TUNISIA
UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS
UNITED KINGDOM
UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
URUGUAY
YUGOSLAVIA

3. ELCTION OF THESE NOMINEES TODAY CONFIRMED IN PLENARY OF
GENERAL CONFERENCE.

4. DURING PLENARY SESSION AFTER GENERAL CONFERENCE
HAD ADOPTED RESOLUTION FROM DOCUMENT 19 C/77
CONCERNING PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORT AS MODIFIED
IN PROGRAM COMMISSION II, USDEL (DR. KAMM) READ
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FOLLOWING INTERVENTION DRAWN FROM REFTEL (B)#INTO
PLENARY RECORD:

QUOTE. MR. CHAIRMAN, BEFORE LEAVING UNIT 9 I WOULD
LIKE TO STATE THAT THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STRONGLY SUPPORTS UNESCO'S NEW PROGRAM EMPHASIS IN
PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORT.

IN AN EFFORT TO ASSIST UNESCO IN ITS WORK TO
STRENGTHEN THE PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF
ALL THE WORLD'S YOUTH AND TO FURTHER THE IDEALS OF
GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP, IT GIVES ME GREAT PLEASURE TO
INFORM YOU THAT THE AMERICAN ALLIANCE FOR HEALTH,
PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND RECREATION AND THE AMERICAN
COUNCIL FOR INTERNATIONAL SPORTS WOULD WELCOME THE
POSSIBILITY OF BEING HOSTS IN THE UNITED STATES FOR
A UNESCO CONFERENCE THAT WOULD ADDRESS THE
PROBLEMS OF IMPLEMENTING THE RECOMMENDATIONS
OF THE APRIL 1976 CONFERENCE OF MINISTERS AND SENIOR
OFFICIALS OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORT, AS
APPROVED WHERE AT THE NINETEENTH SESSION OF THE GENERAL
CONFERENCE.

THIS OFFER IS EXTENDED TO UNESCO AND ALL MEMBER STATES
IN THE "SPIRIT OF NAIROBI" WITH THE ENHANCEMENT OF
THE PHYSICAL EDUCATION OF YOUTH AROUND THE WORLD IN
MIND.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH. END QUOTE.

5. SECRETARIAT LATER VERIFIED ACCURACY OF NAMES OF
AAHPER AND ACIS FOR THE RECORD. IT IS ANTICIPATED
THAT THIS ACTION IN PLENARY WILL ENHANCE CONSIDERATION
OF ICHPER'S APPLICATION TO NGO STATUS.
MARSHALL

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